

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE:

At the page following the specification, please replace the abstract of the disclosure with the following:

The subject invention provides compositions useful in oral cavity, comprising an effective amount of a soluble potassium salt, a sodium ( $C_8$ - $C_{24}$ ) alkylsulfate in an amount effective to remove or loosen debris and/or stains from a surface, and a polar surfactant, said surfactant comprising a hydrophobic portion selected from a ( $C_8$ - $C_{20}$ ) alkyl group and a polymeric silicone group, wherein the molar ratio of the surfactant to the sodium ( $C_8$ - $C_{24}$ ) alkylsulfate is greater than or equal to about 1:1. The subject invention also provides a mint flavoring that does not comprise a substantial amount of menthol, said mint flavoring being either a dementholated natural mint extract or a synthetic blend.